IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Verrier et al. Confirmation No.: 9648

Appl. No.: 10/562,085 Art Unit: 1614

Filing Date: March 2, 2007 Examiner: Timothy P. Thomas Title: USE OF N-ALKANOLS AS ACTIVATORS OF THE CFTR CHANNEL.

Commissioner for Patents

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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| 1. | | | r a total period of two (2) months to respo | nd |
| | to the Office Action dated December 4, 2008. | | | |
| 2. | Applicant is | a small entity; | other than a small entity. | |
| 3. | Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)): | | | |
| | Total Months | Fee For Other | Fee for | |
| | Requested | Than Small Entity | Small Entity | |
| | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 | |
| \boxtimes | two months | \$460.00 | \$230.00 | |
| | three months | \$1,050.00 | \$525.00 | |
| | four months | \$1,640.00 | \$820.00 | |
| | five months* | \$2,230.00 | \$1,115.00 | |
| *Car | mot be used to exceed six | :-month statutory limit for respo | nse to an Official Action. | |
| | A check in the amount of \$\\$ is enclosed. | | | |
| \boxtimes | Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee. | | | |
| \boxtimes | All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 | | | |
| | when electronical | ly filing | • | |
| X | Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency. | | | |

Respectfully submitted,

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